



# Sierra Madre News



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## This World

VIRGINIA JENKINSON

The Girl Scouts will celebrate their 42nd anniversary this year. Many persons do not realize the scope of the organization's work. It is international in breadth and is just as active in cities as in small towns. We remember a twilight only a year ago when we saw a group of Girl Scouts singing, "Row, Row Your Boat" as they walked up Park Ave. with the busy city whirling past them. It was a refreshing touch to see these youngsters in the heart of Manhattan enjoying the same kind of fun enjoyed by their sisters in Pumpkin Corners and Copenhagen.

Wilbur S. Hull, who has called Sierra Madre "home" since 1912 and was a partner in the Sierra Madre Hardware company for 38 years, had a pleasant surprise recently when he received a copy of the 100th anniversary edition of the Humboldt Times published in Eureka. For there peaking out at him was his own picture taken in 1889 when he was an instructor in the Eureka Academy and Business College.

Mr. Hull was only 19 at the time and was described in the Academy's paper as, "One of the most promising young men in the United States who was in charge of our Department of Penmanship last year."

This 'n' That: A letter from members of the W.K.F.L. Fountain of the World, who staged "Fountain Frolics" at the Woman's clubhouse recently, tells us that they received donations of \$106 for the performance. Fifty-three dollars came in individual donations and the same amount was given by residents of North Sierra Madre as a token of their appreciation for the help extended by the religious group during the flood. Dotty Underwood reported last week the mustard and rye planted a few weeks ago can now be seen sprouting in the hills. . . don't fail to take a leisurely trip through the business section to view the art work displayed in the windows as part of the Wistaria Fete.

## Around the Square

By VERA H. LUMBARD

Midge (Mrs. T. M. R.) Parker, former editor of THE NEWS, and one of the first to press for voter registration and attendance at polls for all elections, had a red face last week.

Always an active participant in things civic, she was midway in circulating the nomination petition for Lorne Pratt, who will run for City Council next month, when she realized that she had failed to re-register when she changed her address some time ago.

Since the circulator of such a petition MUST be a registered voter, Midge bowed out in embarrassment and Virginia Pratt scurried to re-cover the ground.

The Misses Dickinson of Idle Hour Lane were never too busy with their sewing or other activities to provide glasses of water or have a friendly chat with the flood control truck drivers who have been populating the Canyon while ridding the dam of debris.

The other day, so a visitor to their home tells us, a large truck came to a stop on Idle Hour Lane, halting a whole parade of trucks behind it. An especially large, dusky and beaming driver emerged, marched to the Misses Dickinson's door and presented the ladies with a vivid bouquet of cabbage-size, double poinsettias, stems properly burned and everything.

P. S. The truck driver gave his Japanese gardener full credit for growing the beauties!

### THE WEATHER

	High	Low
Mar. 4.....	82	45
5.....	68	42
6.....	69	45
7.....	72	43
8.....	82	52
9.....	83	49
10.....	69	52

Season to date.....12.37"  
Last year this time.....11.21"  
Year 1952-53.....13.72"

## Students Vie In Speakers' Contest Tonite

Local participation in the state-wide Student Speakers contest sponsored annually by Lions clubs, will get underway tonight when three Monrovia-Duarte High school speakers appear before Sierra Madre Lions club members, guests and Lady Lions at a dinner-meeting in the Woman's clubhouse.

One winner will be chosen to represent the Sierra Madre service club in the foothill cities zone contest March 25. Speakers not eliminated then will go on to the regional competition in April from which winners will proceed to the district contest in May at Catalina. Finalists will compete for state honors in June.

All contestants in the state contest, according to Ralph M. Welch, serving his eighth year as local chairman, will receive typewriters. The state winner will receive a \$1500 scholarship.

The subject this year is, "What the Constitution of the United States Means to Me," the same subject as that used for the just-concluded local essay contest for sixth grade pupils.

Four years ago, Mr. Welch recalls, a locally sponsored speaker-contestant, came within points of winning the coveted state contest award.

Judges tonight will be Lions guests, Supt. of Schools and Mrs. Charles A. Skutt and News publishers Edgar W. and Virginia Jenkinson.

## Scouts Buying Camp Acreage As Memorial

The Boy Scout "family" of the Congregational church has responded enthusiastically to a fund drive which serves a double purpose.

In raising money to help the San Gabriel Valley Boy Scout Council purchase 400 acres in one of California's finest camping areas, the Congregational Church Scouts and Scouters are establishing the Everett W. Carver Memorial in tribute to the late committeeman of Troop 3 who was active in the camping program.

Near Idyllwild

The camp site being purchased by the San Gabriel Valley Council of which Sierra Madre is a part lies high on the north side of Mt. San Jacinto near Idyllwild. It is described by one committeeman, Louis McClelland, as being rolling country covered with fine timber and suitable for year round camping, "just what scouting most needs," he says.

Dr. and Mrs. Nathan Jacobs started making the Carver Memorial a reality with the first contribution. Enough has been collected, \$110, to pay for one acre and the fund will grow to include at least two acres, it is hoped.

Scout troops, Explorer Posts, Cub Packs, sponsoring institutions and interested individuals are asked to share in the Carver Memorial or to follow suit as they wish.

Persons wishing to contribute to the Carver Memorial may do so through any of the Scout committee members, Dr. Jacobs, Jack Butler or Louis McClelland.

## Concert Band Association Seeks Member-Subscribers

Memberships in the Sierra Madre Concert Band association were made available this week, according to Stanley Coutant, band committee chairman.

Funds thus raised by the association will be used to enlarge the music library of the one-year-old group whose budget from the Recreation Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, is depleted.

Forty musicians from Sierra Madre and surrounding cities have begun rehearsals for the series of concerts to be presented during the spring and summer months under the direction of Roger Gray.

### On Voluntary Basis

Membership subscription is on a purely voluntary basis, with applications made available through organizations and the Sierra Madre NEWS. Subscribers will be invited to submit requests for numbers to be played at the concerts.



IT TAKES A LADDER to pick blossoms from the giant Sierra Madre Wistaria vine, for the acre-wide plant is suspended on steel trellis eight feet above the ground. The blossoms are being gathered here by Sierra Madre's 1954 Wistaria queen, 16-year-old Barbara Duffy. Her reign continues through most of April while the world-famous wistaria plant is in blossom. Thousands will visit the vine during the 40th annual Sierra Madre Wistaria Festival.

## HIESTAND TO RUN FOR RE-ELECTION

Congressman Edgar W. Hiestand of the 21st Congressional District has announced that he will be a candidate for re-election in the June 8 primary election.

Congressman Hiestand will file on both the Republican and Democratic tickets.

He was instrumental in having the Sierra Madre flood area declared a disaster relief area entitling it to special Federal funds.

## LOCAL MERCHANTS PLAN "WISTARIA TAG DAYS"

Sierra Madre merchants are joining the general Wistaria Festival spirit and have tentatively set Friday and Saturday, April 2 and 3, as "Wistaria Tag Days," according to Don Jackson, president of the Chamber of Commerce.

At that time specially priced merchandise bearing a wistaria tag will be offered the public. This event is one in a series of special bargain events planned by local merchants for 1954.

## March 29 Meet Set up For Candidate Speeches

Eleven candidates for three available posts on the Sierra Madre City Council will be given an opportunity to express their views in public meeting March 29, two weeks before the municipal election on April 13.

The meeting at 8 p.m. in the City school auditorium will be sponsored as a public service by the non-partisan Community Coordinating Council. Knox Hagar of Monrovia, past president of the Sierra Madre Kiwanis Club, has been asked to conduct the meeting from his impartial vantage point as a non-resident, non-voter.

Each candidate will be given five minutes of platform time. Thirty minutes will be set aside for members of the audience to direct questions to the panel of candidates.

Five of the candidates, Charles E. Louk (incumbent), Leroy H. Quackenbush, William W. Maloney, Lorne Pratt and

Argyle R. Luckenbill, had filed their nomination papers by NEWS press time last week. Six additional candidacies were filed Thursday, March 4, before the 12 o'clock noon deadline. They are listed below, together with the names of those who circulated their petitions and the signatures:

Walter H. Goodwin, 409 West Grand View, mechanical engineer; petition circulated by Mrs. Edith T. Dane and signed by Daniel L. D'Arcy, Mrs. Florence H. Peterson, Mrs. Martha W. Coutant, Richard A. Hawks, Severin L. Sorenson, Aaron B. Glaser, Mrs. Louise R. Kortkamp, Mrs. Jane B. Eastwood, Mrs. Annunziata H. Twedell and Mrs. Edith T. Dane.

James M. Stewart, 43 Vista Circle Drive, retired; petition circulated by himself and signed by Mrs. Harriet U. Cox, Frank E. Cox, Mrs. Blanche H. Topping, Earl D. Topping, Mrs. Dorothy A. Felts, Mrs. Portia L. Terry, John N. McClure and A. Faye Fish.

Harold F. Roberts (incumbent), 306 E. Alegria, petition circulated by Edwin W. Ward Jr. and signed by Mrs. Virginia Sayles, John C. Mead, C. Jacques Hahn, Lillian Y. Roess, Albert E. Morgan, Donald H. Jackson, Richard A. Hawks, Chester S. Bigelow, Daniel D. Strite Jr. and Woodson F. Jones.

Sidney B. Haupt, 325 Adams, restaurateur, petition circulated by Cecil M. Winbigger and signed by A. Hastings Daniel, Albert E. Morgan, Norman E. Brooks, Mrs. Ruth A. Tate, Mrs. Mary D. Tumilty, Robert L. Walker, Mrs. Lola Ree Hull, Mrs. Frances Hoene and Mrs. Josephine F. Daniel.

Col. Charles R. Gildart, 531 Elm, retired U. S. Army officer; petition circulated by W. Murray Hawkins (incumbent councilman) and signed by Frank A. Spencer, Thomas M. Schwartz, Edwin W. Ward Jr., Charles H. James (senior councilman).

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## Local Artists' Work Shown In Stores Here

A joint effort of the artists of Sierra Madre and the Chamber of Commerce this week produced a downtown art exhibit as part of the community's Wistaria Festival celebration which opened March 4 and will continue for the next several weeks.

The work of 15 local artists is displayed in the windows of downtown merchants. In past years the artists, with the cooperation of the Sierra Madre Art Guild, have often shown their paintings during the annual fete.

Exhibitors and their paintings are: Alfred Dewey, Sierra Madre scene in oil, water color painted 24 years ago of the Wistaria Vine on the original vine; Lucy Marquardt, landscape-water color, flowers-oil; Myrtle Weese, flowers-oil, fruit-oil; B. Ward McVior, portrait-oil, Sierra Madre scene-oil, "End of Drouth"-oil; Grace Webber, abstract-oil, Persimmons-oil, flowers-pastel.

Blanche Luffer, West Indian Settlement-pastel, Sea Wall-pastel; Catherine Tuttle, Pastoral-water color, "Clants" and San Pile"-water color; Ted Velasquez, Oriental Street Scene-water color, portrait-charcoal; Marcella Carlson, Ballet-oil, landscape-oil; Albin Carlson, still life-oil; Margaret Cash, flowers-tempera; Cornelia Reimer, "Cerra Cobra"-oil, "Petrea"-oil; Maggie Ascher, "EL Viejo"-oil, "Uke Trees"-oil; Lydia Maricq, two florals in oil, and Howard Whalen, sculpture-abstract, figure and head.

Edward L. N. Voorhees, well known Sierra Madre writer, will review the art displays.

## YOUNG REPUBLICAN POLICY MEETING SET FOR TOMORROW

A policy-making meeting of the Sierra Madre Young Republican Club is scheduled for 8 o'clock tomorrow night, March 12, following a potluck supper at 7 p.m. in the home of the club president, William M. Hawkins, and Mrs. Hawkins, 415 N. Lima.

Members are asked to take along prospective members and to aid in setting the future course for Young Republican activities in Sierra Madre.

## Lt. Gildart Receives Bronze Star in Korea

The bronze star medal has been awarded to 1st Lt. Charles R. Gildart Jr., who is on duty in Korea with the 2nd Infantry Division, according to word received by his parents, Col. and Mrs. Gildart, 531 Elm.

Lt. Gildart is expected to arrive in Sierra Madre about April 1st for a visit.

## LORNE PRATT IMPROVES AFTER EAR OPERATION

Lorne Pratt, 677 Canyon Crest, is convalescing at home from major ear surgery which he underwent a week ago today in Huntington Memorial hospital, Pasadena.

## Red Cross Aid in Disaster Familiar to Sierra Madreans

Sierra Madreans have more reason than some communities to know through first hand observation the speed and thoroughness with which the Red Cross responds to a disaster alert, Thomas M. Schwartz, local Red Cross Fund Drive chairman, pointed out this week.

During the watershed fire and subsequent flood emergencies the Red Cross disaster unit here, chaired by Colonel Charles E. Morrison, bedded and housed approximately 100 evacuees, fed some 300 fire-fighters three hot meals a day for a limited time, and to all 125 local firefighters throughout the six days and nights of the fire, he reports.

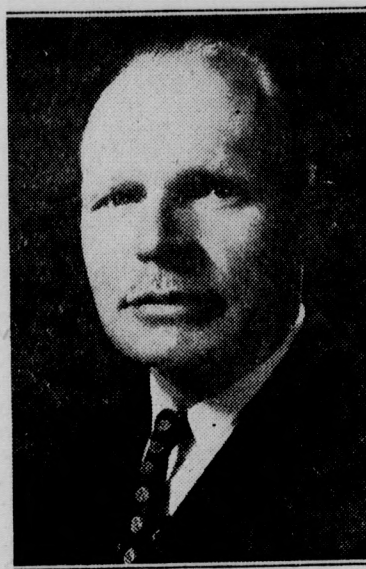
Thousands of Sandwiches

Volunteers made and served thousands of sandwiches and countless cups of coffee during the emergencies, provided transportation where needed, and, through the registration and information committee, responded to more than 100 inquiries from all parts of the country.

In addition Red Cross rehabilitation services, which account for 70 cents out of every dollar dedicated to disaster relief, were offered to all who suffered flood damage, the services were not required. However, if a family breadwinner had been injured, the tools of his craft destroyed or a kitchen flooded, as just a few examples, the Red Cross was prepared to step in to fill the need and replace that which was lost.

# Council Sticks to Guns, Appoints Paul Carter

Acting in the face of some public disapproval, the City's five councilmen, three of whose appointive terms expire next month, exercised their legal prerogative Tuesday night in accepting the March 15 resignation of a fourth member, Mayor Henry F. Korsmeier, and immediately appointing a former councilman, Paul N. Carter, grandson of Sierra Madre's founder, to fill the council vacancy thus created.



PAUL N. CARTER  
Member of pioneer family is named to City Council vacancy.



R. MERRITT BAKER  
City administrator reveals his resignation was requested.



HENRY F. KORSMEIER  
Resignation as mayor causes controversy.

## Baker Resigns Post as City Administrator

In the closing words of a six-page resignation message to the City's governing body, R. Merritt Baker, city administrator since October, 1951, disclosed that he would "terminate his employment with the City of Sierra Madre if this is the will and pleasure of the City Council as reported to me by one of its members."

The resignation was formally accepted with a tribute to "the honest and sincere efforts the city administrator has made in the interests of Sierra Madre."

Obviously nonplused at the administrator's candid disclosure, Mayor Korsmeier, speaking for the council, acknowledged after the eventual council meeting that he had asked for the resignation at the direction of the council.

"It has become increasingly apparent to us that Sierra Madre needs in that post an engineer with administrative ability or an administrator with an engineering background," he said.

The City now employs a part time city engineer, and recently added to the payroll at a per diem rate of \$25 a semi-retired public works director.

City Administrator Baker's message outlined in detail accomplishments in the various municipal departments during his administration.

He has been in governmental work for 11 years and Sierra Madre is the third city he has served as administrator.

## Public Meeting Set Mar. 17 on Comm. Chest

In a move to establish a Community Chest organization in Sierra Madre, a public meeting has been called for 8 p.m., Wednesday, March 17, and will be held in the City Hall.

Speakers will be representatives of the Pasadena and the Arcadia Monrovia Community Chest organizations. A slate of 21 leading citizens who have expressed their willingness to serve on a local board will be presented. Nominations also may be made from the floor that night prior to the election.

Plans for the meeting have been announced by Samuel Kirk, member of the Community Coordinating Council, and also member of a committee appointed by the Coordinating Council president, Walter H. Goodwin, to make a preliminary study and recommendations on the proposed Community Chest. The committee comprised representatives from each of the member agencies of the former Community Fund.

The Coordinating Council undertook the study at the request of David H. Allen, president of the Kiwanis Club, who announced that the service club was withdrawing its sponsorship of the Community Fund, started some 20 years ago as the Kiwanis Youth Fund.

"The Kiwanis Club feels that it no longer is the proper agency to carry on the responsibilities of directing such a program in this ever-growing community," Allen stated.

## C. W. Jones Patient in Sierra Madre Hospital

The condition of C. W. Jones, Sierra Madre's first mayor, was reported improved yesterday at Sierra Madre hospital where he has been a patient since Friday. Mr. Jones, who resides at 49 E. Alegria, became ill with a stomach ailment while he and Mrs. Jones were visiting their daughter in San Diego.

A petition, asking that such action be deferred until a new council had taken office after the April 13 municipal election, was presented to the council as it assembled. It bore the names of some 57 citizens, many of whom were in the audience. Presentation of the petition moved the pending matter of the mayor's resignation to No. 1 place on the agenda for the session which was made doubly eventful with the resignation of City Administrator R. Merritt Baker.

### Two Are Candidates

Two of the three appointed councilmen, Charles E. Louk and Harold F. Roberts, are candidates for election April 13. The third, W. Murray Hawkins, is not a candidate.

In a procedure which City Atty. T. Guy Cornyn said was entirely regular, Roberts moved after the appointment of Carter after the mayor's resignation had been accepted with "deep regret and reluctance."

An alternative, and one for which the petitioners were pressing, would have been to induce the mayor to make his resignation effective as of a later date, thus throwing the appointment to fill the council vacancy within the province of the new council to be seated April 20.

If necessary, the mayor could have been granted leave of absence for the interim. Councilmen point out, however, that deprived of one member and in the emergency absence of any other, a quorum would not be available.

### New Mayor in April

In any event, a pro tem mayor will be appointed. The new council will have the privilege of electing a mayor.

In a conference following the council meeting Mayor Korsmeier assumed full responsibility for the timing, explaining again that he has sought to resign since December and that the council has repeatedly prevailed upon him to extend his time of service until he could no longer. He bases his action on reasons of health and pressure of business and stated that he could not do justice to his municipal post. His term expires in 1956. He is assistant superintendent of the Excelsior Union High School district which is presently engaged in an extensive building program.

### Support Their Stand

Acknowledging the risk of unpopularity at the polls April 13, Council Roberts and Louk in joint statements, said, the dictates of conscience and what, in their judgment, would best serve the people of Sierra Madre, gave them and their fellow councilmen no alternative other than assuring immediately the services of Paul Carter.

"He is so eminently qualified by knowledge and experience to serve with this council body and the new one and on a past occasion was elected by the voters."

Carter was elected in 1938 to the council and served almost a full term before resigning to join the Navy. He is credited with planning and accomplishing water department improvements, some of which were later carried out by his successor. It is indicated that he will replace Roberts as Water Department chairman for the council.

### Concern on Record

In a statement to the NEWS yesterday, one of the petitioners for deferment of action to the new council "in the interests of fair, play and representative government," said she felt they had accomplished something of what they had set out to do. They had gone on record as showing their concern.

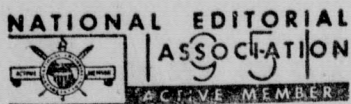
During a discussion prior to Carter's appointment and before his name had come up, Aaron Glaser had asked from the floor what redress the voters would have if they disapproved of the appointment. He was told by the city attorney that recall is possible after six months.



## SIERRA MADRE NEWS

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## Letters to the Editor

## AN 'ACT OF GOD'?

Sierra Madre News:

Lee Shippey, What do YOU think?

From all branches of the government, insurance companies, sightseers and some residents of Sierra Madre we hear an expression that this devastation wrought upon us by fire and flood was "an act of God."

Who better than you, Lee Shippey, columnist, lecturer and author, could start a debate on this vital question? I for one would like enlightenment. Let us hear through the medium of the press from the clergy, all denominations. Sierra Madre is known for its many fine churches.

If an "atomic bomb" had hit our mountains, would that be termed, in the true vernacular, "an act of God"?

We all know, or should know, this catastrophe was the act of some careless person or persons. Campers with their fires,

hitchhikers, dropping a lighted match or cigarette. One can not altogether blame them. These hazardous areas should have been closed during the dry season. We had months of drought. Better supervision of these areas, better inspection might have prevented this tragedy. Fortunately, there were no small children in the area, no loss of life.

We all know watersheds were burned as a result of the fire. We have heard that basins were filled with debris, and before the fire. We hear rumors that property owners built structures to protect their own properties, with little or no regard for the welfare of their neighbors.

Then came the rains, the flood. I do not want to believe the havoc wrought by same to our city and our individual properties was an "act of God."

I believe in a God of LAW, a God of love and kindness. It is difficult for me in my years to believe otherwise. I think

we bring our own destruction on ourselves.

We as individuals can and will correct our errors, and our damage. We can start to build all over again, but—unless we have better protection, better supervision and better inspection—we are lost. There is unity in strength!

There is no quality of Divinity in a barricade of sandbags across 104 feet of frontage. There is a Divinity in seeing nature making the great effort to stage a "come-back," and with very little material help.

That I would prefer to think "an act of God."

Sincerely,  
Irene L. Rutledge.

## WHAT MR. EATON THINKS

March 8, 1954

The Sierra Madre News

The Editor:

In his column of Feb. 18, Lee Shippey, in my opinion, fell into errors on political subjects which cannot be disregarded.

He used the words "average man" and "plain people" phrases which, with "common man," have been used for centuries by political opportunists to edge votes from the members of democracies. Time after time through history these opportunists have destroyed the democracies of these "friends" of theirs and established dictatorships on the ruins.

One has only to recall the 1930's when Hitler, a man who had no training or experience in government, established on the ruins of the German democracy, which he destroyed, a dictatorship as evil as any which has ever existed. The German people were his "friends." The government he established he said was to protect the rights of the "people" of Germany.

The most glaring error in Mr. Shippey's column is the statement "and any system that bars an average man (from public office) is not democracy."

There is no such thing as an average man. Each of us is su-

## Virginia Pittinger Sums Up Memories of Belgians as She Writes From Hotel in Spain

Writing recently from Estepona, Malaga, Spain, Virginia Pittinger, who, with her engineer husband, Lincoln, and their youngest child, Risty, have been living and traveling in Europe for more than a year, has gathered together her impressions, in retrospect, of the several months they stayed in Brussels.

"It may be my last letter to THE NEWS and the folks back home," she writes, "unless Spain gets so far under my skin I can't resist telling everyone about it. At any rate, our plans get us back to Sierra Madre somewhere around the first of April, maybe a little later, certainly not earlier."

Following is the first portion of her "Brussels Letter."

Our pension must have been a mansion once, with large gracious rooms on four floors and a sweeping staircase climbing through wide halls. The ceilings are 12 feet high with a great deal of ornate carving at the edges. Over each door in our room, surrounded by elaborate scrollwork, was a big oval medallion where chubby little cherubs disport themselves around wisps of cloth.

We felt more as though we were visiting the Van Reeks in their home than rooming in their boarding house. The atmosphere was one of great kindness and love and I think that was because the Van Reek family is solidly built on those qualities. The mother, Lena, is a small, dark woman with lively blue eyes, a pretty face and sweet manner. Albert, the father, is gay and soft-spoken and gentle. You saw these things at once in his eyes, his slow smile and love for children.

Nicole is their daughter. She grew up in air raid shelters and in cellars. She was hungry and she was cold. But because she was so loved and cared for she grew up without fear. And she grew up beautifully, with clear blue eyes and curly golden hair which she now piles high on her head like a sleek young goddess.

And finally there is Jacques who is big at 13, handsome and earnestly devoted to his studies. They all speak French, Flemish, English and German fluently and Jacques has begun another language on his own, Spanish.

## Pot Pourri of Languages

The fact that that was a sort

perior to others in certain respects and in other respects inferior. If we were all equal, no one would hire anybody else to do anything and we would all be living in a state of nature.

Plato's classic illustration of the fallacy of Mr. Shippey's statement is the question of Socrates, which in substance is: when people want their shoes repaired, they go to a shoemaker; when they are ill, they go to a doctor; why then, when they need someone to run their government (an operation requiring special knowledge and special skill), do they not go to a man trained and experienced in that science?

The whole purpose of political campaigns should be to bar all but the superior in political science from public office and too much time or money cannot be spent in doing this. After all, the campaign is not the candidate's. It is the public's. If any considerable portion of the public will not seek out the information upon which to base their votes, then it must be taken to them by personal contact, by mail, by radio and television, and through the press.

There is no reason why men and women qualified for public office cannot receive adequate support. The need for them is too great.

Of the many non sequiturs (it does not follow) in Mr. Shippey's column, the worst is his statement "if a man can't live on \$15,000 a year, he isn't wise enough to be a congressman." If a man who can live on \$15,000 a year is wiser than a man who can't, then a man who can live on \$500 a year must be wise indeed. Is Mr. Shippey advocating that we pay our congressmen nothing?

When there is no future in a profession, why should one enter into it? No wonder young people do not train themselves for politics (the science of government) when the goal is a two-year job paying \$15,000 a year. As compared to the pay for positions of similar importance in private life, \$15,000 is absurdly small.

When the choice between bad government and good government, high taxes and reasonable taxes, and even war and peace lies with our representatives, how can we afford to limit the field from which they are selected by offering poor security and pay lower than that currently paid in private life for positions of lesser responsibility and importance?

NOREN EATON

## Lee Shippey asks

## What Do You Think?

In Pasadena the other night I heard my friends, Louis and Esther Mertins of Redlands, tell of their tour of Europe and the Near East.

One person Louis interviewed for two hours was President Naguib of Egypt, who, he thinks, is not a dictator because he is doing great things for education, irrigation, scientific farming and redistribution of land for the benefit of a people which has been terribly trodden since prehistoric times. Naguib has been pretty authoritative in putting some needed reforms into effect, Louis thinks, but the constitution he wants would prevent him or anyone else from becoming a dictator.

It was in England, though, that the travelers found the preventive for local dictatorships. There are local dictatorships, you know, sometimes even in small towns.

Last year Lord Dunsany visited the Mertins in Redlands, and when he found they did their own work he pitched in and helped wipe dishes, and such.

Then he insisted that they visit him. So they were guests at Dunsany Castle, in Ireland, also at Lord Dunsany's home in England, and his Lordship gave them an introduction to the Lord Mayor of Birmingham which caused the latter and his wife not only to receive them

as guests but show them how municipal government worked there.

No political party nor clique could control that government. At the end of each fiscal year the Lord Mayor resigns and a member of the opposing political party is elected to succeed him. Thus no group can build up a machine, the administration changes every year, and about the only way in which rival politicians can compete is in the service they render to the municipality. Each party gets its innings, like a baseball team, and the glory goes to the one which scores most for the public. That, at least, is the theory.

Is that a cockeyed theory? Most professional politicians would think so, especially those who long to get their noses in

the public trough and keep them there until death do them part from it.

Last words: Last Sunday was Arbor Day, and Los Angeles was pleading with its citizens to plant more trees on their parkways. How else can anyone improve his property as much, at such small expense?

And remember that Wistaria Fete visitors look at all the places they drive past. Be sure yours upholds the self-respect of our city by being kept clean and decent.

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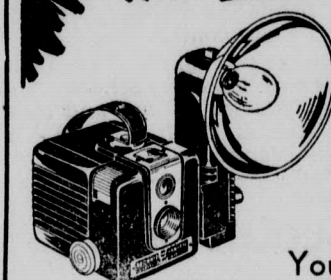
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## Girl Scout News

Tomorrow, March 12, is the 42nd birthday of the Girl Scouts and to celebrate the anniversary the Girl Scouts of Sierra Madre will have a party in the City school auditorium at 7:30 tomorrow night. All parents and friends are invited.

Plans for the evening's entertainment have been completed by Mrs. H. E. Haymaker. Mrs. Raymond Long is in charge of serving refreshments. The movie, "Hands Across the Sea," which gives highlights of Scouting in many countries, will be shown.

It was on March 12, 1912, that Juliette Low gathered together a group of girls in her home in Savannah, Ga., and started the organization that is now enjoyed by nearly 2,000,000 girls in this country alone. From the beginning, camping and outdoor activities have been emphasized.

In honor of the founder, all Brownies, Scouts and parents are asked to contribute a penny for each birthday that they have celebrated. The contributions make up the Juliette Low Fund which maintains The Chalet, an international Girl Scout camp in Switzerland.

## Boy Scout Notes

Boy Scouts of Troop 1 of Congregational church will conduct a cookie sale Saturday, March 13, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, in front of the Safeway Store on Sierra Madre Blvd.

The project is to help the boys raise money for their trips next summer to Cherry Valley camp at Catalina.

## COLORADO MID-WINTER PICNIC SET FOR SUNDAY

Coloradoans living or visiting in California have been invited to attend the Colorado State society's all-day picnic Sunday, March 14, in Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles.

John O. Lewis, society president, has announced that a program at 2 p.m. will be a feature of the "Rovers" mid-winter reunion. Badges, coffee and registers will be furnished.

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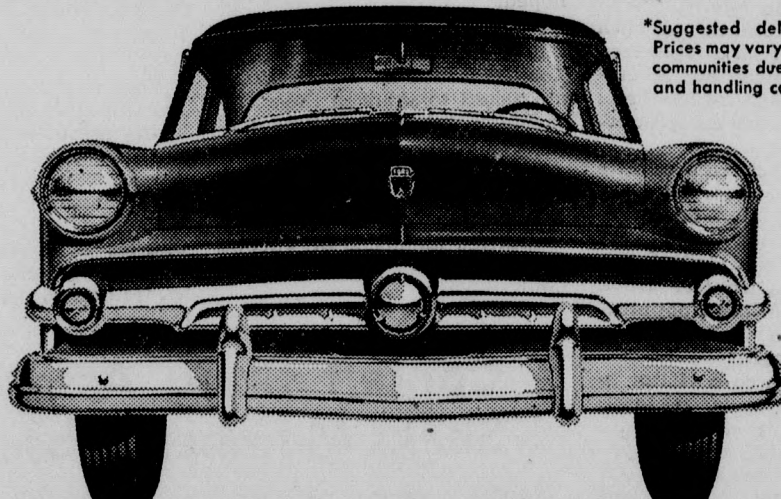
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## Tickets on Sale Now for Civic Club Fashion Show Event

Tickets for the Civic Club's benefit event, an Easter Parade of Fashions the night of March 26 in the Woman's clubhouse, are going on sale this week. They will be available from now until the 26th at the Don Jackson Store for Men, co-sponsor of the event with Carrousel of Pasadena.

Ticket tables will be set up Friday nights, March 12 and 19, in the Bank of Sierra Madre during evening shopping hours, from 6 to 8 p.m., and on Saturdays, March 13 and 20, at Roberts Market from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Mrs. William Burke is ticket chairman and she and Mrs. Joseph Murphy will staff the ticket table at Roberts. In charge of ticket sales at the bank will be Mrs. Herman Ohs and Mrs. Richard Barden.

The fashion show event is scheduled for 7:45 p.m., March 26, when dessert and coffee will be served prior to the preview of springtime styles by men and women models. Mrs. Lee Jordan is general chairman and coordinator.

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## Alpha Chi Juniors Plan Meeting Tonight

Although the decorations will be keyed to the theme of St. Patrick's Day, the "wearing of the green" is only an indication of what is in store for the evening for the Alpha Chi Omega Junior Alumnae of the Pasadena area when they convene for their regular monthly meeting tonight at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. Jackson Jordan, 399 Ninita, Pasadena.

Wilma de Rycke, fashion coordinator for Nash's Pasadena, will present a full-fledged fashion show, models and all. In addition to previewing the "new spring look," she will illustrate how to assemble a complete outfit, including jewelry and accessories, for the smartest and most attractive effect.

Following the program a business meeting will be devoted to election of officers for the coming year. Mrs. Herbert Norman, president, will preside. Mrs. Robert Severson, Mrs. Galen Stouder and Mrs. Charles Heath.

Among those members in this area are Mrs. J. Robert Meserve, Mrs. Harold S. Voegelin, Mrs. Norman Anderson, Mrs. M. W. Beifuss, Mrs. Robert Clark, Mrs. Thomas Suttner, Mrs. Willard Hardin, Mrs. Harry Masser, Mrs. Edwin McAllister, Mrs. W. A. Caldecott, Mrs. Michael Pratch, Mrs. James Reed, Mrs. E. Rimpau and Mrs. Joseph Travers.

All Alpha Chis in the area are welcome to attend. For information concerning reservations and transportation contact Mrs. John Dumas, DO. 6-1197, or Mrs. Voegelin, CU. 5-2963.

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## Social and Club Activities



San Anita Studio Photo

THE former Barbara Ann Clark, above, is now Mrs. Carlos G. Reyes, bride of a Sierra Madre man. After an extended wedding trip to the San Francisco bay area, the newlyweds are at home now at 161 La Porte, Arcadia. Mrs. Reyes is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark, Arcadia, and Mr. Reyes is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Augustin Reyes, 179 N. Grove. The wedding was solemnized Jan. 30 at the Annunciation Catholic Church, East Arcadia, and a reception followed.

### Program Announced For Arts, Letters Meeting on Tuesday

Special music and a demonstration of water color painting will feature the luncheon-meeting Tuesday of the Pasadena chapter, National Arts and Letters society. The group, which includes a number of members from Sierra Madre, will have luncheon at noon at Brother-ton's Farm House, 2239 E. Colorado.

A brief business meeting will be followed by musical selections by Estelle and Vincent De Honestis of Temple City and a program by Mrs. Florence Tompkins, who is well known in Sierra Madre and Pasadena art circles and is president of the Pasadena chapter of the society.

Mrs. Tompkins is especially known for her flower paintings and has received numerous awards for her work. The program portion of the meeting will begin at 1:30 p.m. and will be open to the public at that time.

### Notre Dame Club Plans Meeting for March 17

The San Gabriel Valley Notre Dame club will have a meeting Wednesday, March 17, at 7:30 p.m. in the Zebra Room, 3041 Huntington Dr., San Gabriel.

Among those from this area planning to attend the St. Patrick's Day dinner are Mr. and Mrs. George R. Meeker, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Sidenfaden and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest P. Maurin.

### Shirlee Peterson, Robert M. Hubbert To Wed March 27th

Invitations have been mailed for the wedding March 27 of Miss Shirlee Selmers Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Selmers Edwin Peterson, 50 E. Ale-gria, and Robert Melvin Hubbert of El Monte. Mr. Hubbert is the son of Walter Melvin Hubbert of El Monte and of Mrs. William Johnson of Red-ding.

The couple will pledge their vows in an evening ceremony in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Arcadia, and a reception in the church will follow.

Miss Peterson has asked Miss Susan Marmion to be her maid of honor and Miss Beverly Stun-den to be a bridesmaid.

The bride-elect attended Sierra Madre Elementary school, John Muir and the University of California in Berkeley.

She was guest of honor at a party given recently by Miss Marmion and Miss Margot Woodworth.

### Eastern Star Plans Initiation Ceremonies

Members of the Order of the Eastern Star will hold their initiation ceremonies Monday, March 15, at 8 p.m. in the Masonic Temple.

The ceremonies will be conducted by the worthy matron, Mrs. James W. Moore, and the worthy patron, Nelson Morris-son. Chairmen for the evening will be Mrs. Richard H. Cooper and Mrs. Arthur F. Fox.

Plans are nearing completion for the Star's annual Spring Fashion Show luncheon which will be held Thursday, April 1, at 12:30 p.m. in the Masonic Temple. Mrs. Fred O. Williams is chairman of the af-fair.

### Woman's Club Slates Fashion Show March 17

Final plans have been made for the Sierra Madre Woman's club annual spring fashion show to be held Wednesday, March 17, at 1 p.m. in the clubhouse.

Mrs. George G. Hannaford is general chairman for the affair and is being assisted by Mrs. Vern Eppard, Mrs. Henry N. Wade, Mrs. Marion W. Austin, Mrs. Dee W. Nourse, Mrs. Franklin Franco, Mrs. Leo Meyer, Mrs. Al L. Pruitt, Mrs. Russell W. Darlington, Mrs. William Heller, Mrs. Archie G. Bonn, Mrs. Dewey McGeary, Mrs. Fred L. Williams, Mrs. Wilbur Hull, Mrs. Ora Olsen, Mrs. Sylvia Colbert and Mrs. William A. Rhodes.

Nash's Department Store is providing the fashions which will feature half, large and "problem" sizes.

Reservations may be made for the dessert affair by calling Mrs. Pruitt, CU. 5-2915, or Mrs. Russell W. Darlington, DO. 7-1393.

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## Sigma Kappa Alumnae Hear Charles Service

Pasadena area alumnae of Sigma Kappa recently held their regular monthly meeting

in the San Marino home of Mrs. John E. Meskell.

Charles Service, president of the company which bears his name, gave an interesting talk on china for the table and home. The president, Mrs. E.

DeYoung Vasse, presided at the business meeting.

Among those members in this area are Mrs. Raymond An-drews, Mrs. Robert S. McKes-son, Mrs. Richard A. Holman, Mrs. D. M. Bernt, Mrs. Gordon

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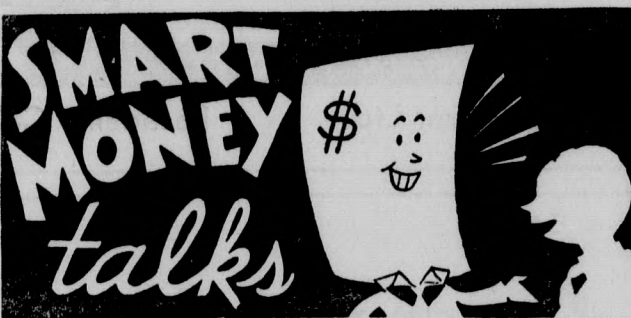
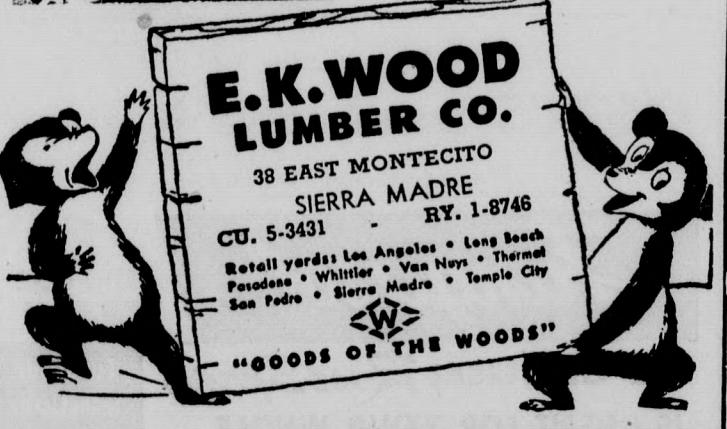
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## John C. Sengers Plans Trip to Holland Soon

John C. Sengers, 327 Sycamore place, who is convalescing from a recent illness during which he was a patient for three days in Sierra Madre hospital, is looking forward now to a six-month trip to Europe.

Mr. Sengers will leave Sierra Madre March 27 and will sail April 1 aboard the S.S. Ryndam for Holland, his homeland. One of his brothers, H. B. Sengers, is a noted painter there.

The Sierra Madre man, a professional photographer, plans to take many reels of color movies during his trip.

## Campfire Log

In celebration of Birthday Week starting Sunday, March 14, the local Leaders association is inviting all Camp Fire girls, Blue Birds and leaders to attend church services at 10 o'clock Sunday in the Congregational church. The girls are asked to wear their service costumes and will meet at 9:45 a.m. in City park to attend the services in a body.

The "Flying Blue Birds" recently had a meeting and enjoyed getting acquainted with a prospective member, Karen Vorster, new baby daughter of their leader, Mrs. Helmut Vorster.

ster. The girls had been excitedly anticipating the newcomer's arrival and had given Mrs. Vorster a surprise "papoose" shower in the home of their assistant leader, Mrs. Harold Clardy, 541 W. Orange Grove.

Other recent activities have included a gala Valentine party with the girls making doll favors and decorating their own heart cookies. The group has also made felt "Blue Bird" purses which pin on their uniforms to hold money and notes for safe-keeping.

The "Flying Blue Birds" are all third graders at the Sierra Madre City school. Their membership includes Vicki Atkinson, Patty Buckner, Beatrice Cabrera, Cathy Clardy, Ellen Clark, Cookie Justice, Becky Renee, Susan Ann Robinson, Rachel Salgado, Gloria Smith, Joanne Vorster and Margarey Pedigo.

If all New Year's resolutions were laid end to end they wouldn't reach to the first of February.

## DISTRICT DEMOS ENDORSE HAZELL FOR ASSEMBLYMAN

Peter M. Hazell of La Canada was unanimously endorsed as the Democratic candidate for Assemblyman from the 48th Assembly District by a meeting of the Democratic Council of the district in Altadena Friday night. The council is made up of representatives of all the Democratic clubs in the district. Attending from the Sierra Madre club were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lathe, Newell Barrett and Lee Shippey.

Mr. Hazell was born and educated in Minnesota. He served in the Navy from 1942 to the end of 1945. Thought most of his war service was in the Pacific, he spent enough time in California to decide it was the place for him and settled here shortly after the war. He is 30 years old, married, and has two children. He is in the toy manufacturing business, with a small plant of his own.

## League Players Present Pied Piper of Hamelin

The Pasadena Junior League Players are presenting "The Pied Piper of Hamelin" Friday, March 26, at 4 p.m. and Saturday, March 27, at 2:30 p.m. at the Shakespeare club, 230 S. Los Robles, Pasadena.

The players are presenting their play for benefit of the Pasadena school children. Various children's agencies of the Community Chest will also be asked to the performances of the play.

Among those league members in this area are Mrs. Frank A. Thomas, Mrs. Dandridge K. Mason, Mrs. Edward C. Sterling, Jr., Mrs. Stanley Woodward, Jr., and Mrs. Fred Klaner.

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## Mrs. Earle Johnson Feted on Birthday

Mrs. Ruth H. Sheldon, 220 E. Alegria, and her sister of the same address, Mrs. Abbie Alexander, recently honored Mrs. Earle Johnson of Los Angeles, on her birthday.

The colors, green, white and yellow, were used in the floral decorations and the attractive birthday cake.

Among those present for the dinner and evening's festivities were Mrs. Eleanor Boydston, Mrs. Alma Crawford, Mrs. Martha McKee, Mrs. Maybelle Aldrich, Mrs. Patricia Livingston, and Mrs. June Dustman.

## Terry and Linda Nehls Honor Carolyn Smith

Terry and Linda Nehls, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Nehls, 615 E. Orange Grove, honored their cousin, Carolyn Smith, daughter of the Ray Smiths of Pasadena, last Saturday night at a birthday party.

Among those arriving for the fun and dancing were Judy and Gayle Allison, Richard Kingsley, Grant Smith, Dick Stinton, Dave Hyland and Roger Stallkamp.

Miss Smith will be entering Pomona college next September.

## Mrs. James Morrison Visits Leland P. Marshes

Mr. and Mrs. Leland P. Marsh, 657 W. Grandview, are entertaining Mrs. Marsh's daughter, Mrs. James Morrison, of Lincoln, Neb., and her 10-month son, Johnny.

Mr. Morrison, secretary-treasurer of Nebraska's Telephone Association, was unable to accompany his family on their three-week visit in Sierra Madre.

The Marshes and the visitors have spent the better part of this week vacationing in Palm Springs.

## Donald Mon Serves on Committee for Caltech Annual Alumni Seminar

A Sierra Madre man, Donald D. Mon, 600 W. Ramona, Class of 1947, California Institute of Technology, will participate Saturday, April 3, in the 17th annual Alumni Seminar. The seminar features reports on developments in science and engineering by Caltech faculty members.

Mon, a patent attorney, is in charge of printing for the all-day program.

## BUSINESS PROMOTION

John H. Wiggins, 206 Oak Meadow Rd., Sierra Madre, has been appointed chief payroll accountant for the Fluor Corporation, Ltd., Los Angeles engineering and construction concern.

The Sierra Madre man joined the firm in June, 1953.

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## Rankin-Enright Troth Announced at Tea

The engagement of Nancy Rankin, daughter of Mrs. Marie J. Rankin, 423 Ramona, to Mr. James Thomas Enright, was announced at a tea given in the Chapman Woods home of Mrs. Andrew R. Edwards.

Miss Rankin attended Pasadena City College and Mr. Enright was a senior at the California Institute of Technology until recently when he was inducted into the service.

The wedding is planned for sometime this summer.

## Pro-America Meeting

The Foothill Towns unit of Pro-America will meet in the home of its chairman, Mrs. Edward A. Heiss, 852 San Simeon Rd., Rancho district, Arcadia, Monday, March 15, at 12 o'clock noon.

Speaker for the occasion will be Arthur Kemp of Claremont Men's college whose topic will be "Control of the Legislative Branch of the Government." Members are reminded to bring sandwiches. Reservations may be made by calling DO. 7-6020 or CU. 5-1651.

## Watershed Recovery Sets 1st Meet March 20

Sierra Madreans will be represented on the newly-formed Los Angeles County Forest and Watershed Protective and Rehabilitation commission appointed by Supervisor Herbert C. Legg.

The successor to Mayor Henry F. Kornsmeier, who has resigned that office as of March 15, will be the local member of the 30-man commission representing federal, state, county and city agencies and created at the request of Supervisor Legg to rehabilitate the county's burned over forest areas.

The commission will hold its initial meeting on Saturday, March 20, in Arcadia. Present then will be Dr. R. McArdle, chief of the U.S. Forest Service, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture J. Earle Coke and U.S. Senator Thomas Kuchel.



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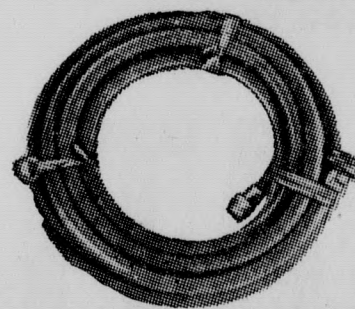
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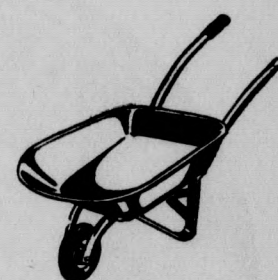
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### Don Benito P-TA Held Meeting on March 10

Wednesday evening, March 10, the regular meeting of the Don Benito P-TA was held at 7:45 with Mrs. Mildred Cranston as guest speaker. Her subject was "Family Opportunities Unlimited." Mrs. Cranston is vice-president of the school board, and well known to all in the Ranch.

The P-TA Mother Singers also appeared on the program in their first public performance. New officers were elected for the coming year.

The class rooms are now being opened at 7:30 on nights of the P-TA meetings, so that parents can have an opportunity to visit the rooms before the meeting at 7:45.

Work on the Dad's Show is humming right along, so do not forget to save the night of April 2. The place is Willard auditorium, 301 S. Madre Ave., and the curtain goes up at 8:10 p.m.

### Ken Smith Family Happens to See Ike

The Ken Smiths, 3835 Greenhill, just happened to take a run out to Palm Springs when President Eisenhower was there vacationing. They just happened to tear over to the golf course while he was playing. And, incidentally, the trip turned out fine. They saw Ike make his last shot at the last hole and reported both the shot and the President looked great.

### Dr. Durfee Set for Field Parent Series

Mrs. John McGraw, parent education chairman of Eugene Field P-TA, has urged all field parents to save March 17, 24 and 31 and April 7 to attend the parent education series of discussions by Dr. M. B. Durfee.

Dr. Durfee is medical director of the Pasadena Child Guidance Clinic. Mrs. McGraw, in announcing the series at Field board meeting, stressed that the series should prove interesting and asked for a big turnout of mothers and dads.

# Hastings Ranch News

LOWER HASTINGS: LUCY LUBISICH, Custer 5-1921

UPPER HASTINGS: MARGE THOMAS, Custer 5-2951



MEMBERS OF THE NEWLY FORMED Hastings Ranch group of the Needlework Guild of America met in the home of Mrs. Ralph A. Judd, 1056 Cynthia. The group has completed 26 baby kimonos and 30 wrapping blankets. Plans are being made by (left to right) Mrs. Harvey B. Davis, co-hostess for the last meeting; Mrs. Al L. Pruitt, group director; Mrs. Paul E. Adams, Mrs. Judd, and Mrs. Ervin L. Douglyn, for additional items of clothing which will be made by the members before the annual "In-gathering Tea" in October.

### Cotton Ball Stated For Saturday, May 8

Mrs. Ross E. Burke, ways and means chairman of the Hastings Ranch Nursery school, has announced the second annual Cotton Ball will take place Saturday, May 8, from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., in the main ballroom at the Huntington hotel, with Al Sherman and his RKO recording orchestra supplying the music.

Mrs. Dominic F. Giangregorio, general dance chairman, is being assisted in the selling of the tickets by Mrs. Grant D. Brown, Mrs. John M. Senour, Mrs. Lee M. Nelson, Mrs. William Taylor, Mrs. Robert J. Wilson and Mrs. Rex L. Thompson.

Following in the footsteps of last year the girls will wear cottons.

All those interested in attending the dance should contact Mrs. Giangregorio or members of the ticket committee as soon as possible since there are only 250 tickets available for the affair.

### Ranch Women Attend Spring Fashion Show

Many of the women from the Ranch are planning to attend the annual spring fashion show sponsored by the Sierra Madre Woman's club, Wednesday, March 17, at 1 p.m. in the clubhouse.

Among those with reservations are Mrs. F. Rex Stine, Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Hugo M. Burgwald, Jr., Mrs. James E. Gittinger, Mrs. Al L. Pruitt, Mrs. Charles E. Cowen, Jr., Mrs. Lewis E. Ross, Mrs. J. R. Coleman, Mrs. William Hillard, Mrs. Charles LeBon, Mrs. Mary Lyness, Mrs. Robert L. Hunt, Mrs. Davis D. McBride, Mrs. William H. Dixon, Mrs. Paul Kaponya, Mrs. Ralph A. Judd, Mrs. Russell Dealhook, Mrs. Joseph F. Tobias, Mrs. Charles W. Cole, Mrs. Donald O. Clark, Mrs. Robert R. Box and Mrs. Gordon H. Lowe.

### Mrs. Wilson to Speak At Guild Luncheon Scheduled for March 15

Mrs. Ross Wilson, now of Westminster Gardens in Duarte, who served many years in Asia, will speak on "Christian Young People in the Moslem World," at the monthly luncheon of Trinity Guild at noon, Tuesday, March 16, at the church.

Beta circle of the Guild will prepare the luncheon this month. Mrs. Joseph Schweppes, Beta chairman, will be assisted in serving by Mrs. Arthur Fox, Mrs. Warren Cline, Mrs. J. D. Steffens, Mrs. Peter Voegelin, Mrs. Cecil Davis and Mrs. Donald Ostrander.

All interested are invited to attend and hear Mrs. Wilson, who was associated with the Forman Christian college in India as well as Kinnaird College for Women and the YWCA there. Miss Patricia Duemler, church organist, will provide music for the luncheon and program.

### SANDERS, DAVIDS ARE HERE AND THERE

Mason Sanders, 635 Rim Rd., combined insurance meetings with golf at Pebble Beach for a few days. But he was home in time to bid Mrs. Sanders goodbye when she and Mrs. Jennings David took off for a couple of days for a La Jolla trip. Mrs. David went down to La Jolla to pick up her children who had been spending the weekend with relatives while the Davids were in Las Vegas.

### LEGAL NOTICE

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE SIERRA MADRE PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Thursday, March 25, 1954 and Thursday, April 22, 1954, at the hour of 8:00 o'clock P.M. on said dates in the Council Chamber of the City Hall, 55 West Sierra Madre Boulevard, Sierra Madre, California, a public hearing will be held by and before the City Planning Commission to consider a proposal to amend the zoning ordinance, No. 391, of the City of Sierra Madre, known as the Official Land Use Plan Ordinance, so far as to include in the uses provided for in Zone R-2 (Two Family) the establishment and maintenance of nursery schools, limited to ten children.

At the above mentioned times and place, an opportunity will be afforded to persons particularly interested, and the public generally, to be heard and to present evidence on all matters relative thereto.

Dated: February 25, 1954.  
THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SIERRA MADRE  
P.O. 8495

By: David S. Wood, Secy.  
Publish March 4 and 11.

### Brownie Notes

Mothers of the third grade Brownies met in the home of Mrs. J. George Robinson, 1160 Rexford, one of the co-leaders of the troop, to organize the Brownie group for next year.

Among those attending were Mrs. Karl R. Regenolds, troop leader; Mrs. Richard F. Lynch, co-leader; Mrs. H. Vern Gates, Mrs. Benjamin F. Davis, Jr., Mrs. James M. Barclay and Mrs. Howard K. Forsberg. Mrs. Gerald A. Friederici was elected troop leader for next year.

Members of Troop No. 324 met in the home of their co-leader, Mrs. Ralph A. Judd, 1056 Cynthia, to make plans for their visit to Fire Station No. 10 and their cook-out at San Dimas park.

Among those attending were Sandra and Sharon Seiler, Andra Judd, Nancy Taylor, Linda Ruiz, Toni Loomis, Kathleen O'Neill, Kathie Mayo, Suzanne Wynn, Deanna Rowan, Mary Johnson, Debra Caffee and Karen Gray.

Mrs. William Taylor is the leader for the troop of second graders.

### J. George Robinsons Visit Big Bear Lake

Dr. and Mrs. J. George Robinson, 1160 Rexford, and their children, Linda and Hank, recently returned from a weekend trip to Big Bear. They took part in the annual excursion of the YMCA Boy's club which is sponsored by the national organization, the Y's Men, of which Dr. Robinson is a member. Headquarters for the festivities was the Presbyterian lodge in Big Bear City.

### Hogobooms Host Party For Nursery School

Mr. and Mrs. William Hogoboom entertained at a bridge party the other evening for the benefit of the Hastings Ranch Nursery school.

Joining in the play were Mr. and Mrs. Emil Barlow, Mr. and Mrs. Jim White, Mr. and Mrs. Peter G. Lubisich, Mr. and Mrs. Allen F. Werbelow and Mr. and Mrs. William Lansell.

The party was one of a series of spring card benefits being sponsored by the school to purchase equipment and aid in carrying on school affairs.

### Field Students Plan Doll, Hobby Show

Eugene Field girls and boys are prepared for an exciting day Wednesday, March 17, when they bring their favorite dolls and exhibits of their hobbies, for a big show.

There'll be stamps and rocks and match folders, model cars and airplanes, collections of dishes and spoons, buttons and bottle caps, as well as exhibits of crafts and art work.

The P-TA committee in charge is composed of Mrs. Robert Brumfield, Mrs. Burton Dake, Mrs. W. C. Holmes, Mrs. Paul Mechler and Mrs. Guy Spigle.

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### Trinity Church Lists Newly-Named Officers

Trinity Presbyterian church has established a board of deaconesses and selected new officers, including a group of six elders.

Members of the session of elders are Jean Woolley and Horace Ray, with terms expiring this year; Herman J. Scholtz, clerk, and Emma H. Wright, 1955, and Charles A. Root and A. C. Wilfong, 1956.

Deaconesses, who will hostess church affairs, named Mrs. Billings Ruddock as chairman and Mrs. Harrison Baker as secretary. Others are Mrs. William Blackford, Mrs. Horace Ray, Mrs. Robert Tretheway, Mrs. Wayne F. Barnes, Mrs. Bert Lindblad, Mrs. Merritt Thompson and Mrs. Conrad Hohener.

Deacons are H. B. LaBoiteux, chairman; Walter Claus, vice-chairman; Arthur F. Fox, secretary and treasurer; A. Davis Klett, Albert G. Bergh, Merle Miller, A. Edsel Curry, Everett A. Fairlamb and Ray C. Stiff.

Trustees, who are in charge of the corporate affairs of the church, are Arthur Fox, Jr., president; Robert L. Fleming, vice-president; Charles E. Kelly, secretary; Russell J. Stubbs, treasurer; Billings Ruddock, assistant treasurer; Herman J. Scholtz, Milton W. Valois, Joseph H. Cummins and George W. Sabin.

### Edward Roybal Speaks To Hastings Demos

Edward R. Roybal, Democratic nominee for lieutenant governor, was on hand to talk with members of the Hastings Ranch Democratic club at its meeting March 3 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Berry, 3700 Landfair Rd.

After hearing the speaker, who was chosen at the Fresno convention for the No. 2 spot on the Democratic state ticket, Jack McKenna, organization chairman, gave a blueprint of the club's strategy for getting out the vote in coming elections.

The club will receive half the proceeds for the night of March 14 from the Pasadena Playhouse production of "Arsenic and Old Lace." No seats are reserved, and members were urged to get out and sell tickets.

### Mrs. Glynn Hostess To Wrens, Las Vecinas

Mrs. James T. Glynn, 3820 Greenhill, was hostess at a joint meeting of the Ranch Wrens and Las Viente Vecinas recently when Mrs. Gladys Scholes spoke on European travel.

Mrs. Robert J. Roach was co-hostess. Mrs. Glynn and Mrs. Roach are Wrens. Assisting in serving from Las Vecinas were Mrs. Henry A. Curwen and Mrs. Mason Sanders.

Forty-seven attended the meeting which was held in the Glynn's rumpus room. A St. Patrick's Day theme was carried out in decorations.

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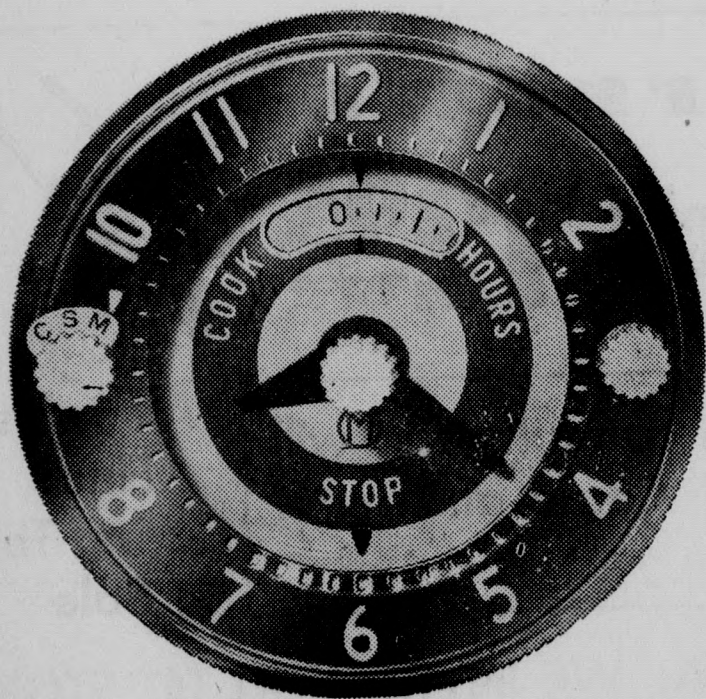
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The program will include a film strip on "The Life of St. Paul" and a discussion period led by the Rev. A. Hesse.

The group also will make plans for serving luncheon later this month to 25 pastors of the Lutheran church - Missouri Synod at the one-day pastoral conference to be held here.

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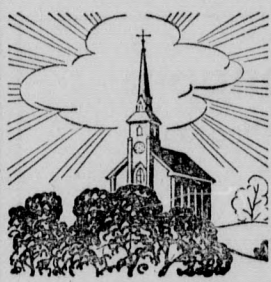
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# News of the Churches

## 150 Attended World Prayer Service Here

More than 150 men and women attended the World Day of Prayer service Friday morning in Trinity Presbyterian church, Hastings Ranch, making the attendance the largest in the five years of the local participation.

The one-hour service of music and devotion was sponsored by women of the Church of Our Redeemer, Methodist, the Church of the Nazarene, the Congregational church, First Church of Christ, Scientist, and the host church.

Mrs. Robert H. Bell, who has presided on former occasions, did so again in place of Mrs. Emma Wright of Trinity church who was convalescing from a recent illness and unable to attend.

The offering received amounted to approximately \$100 and, along with the offerings from 19,000 similar services held that day throughout the United States, will be equally divided between the home and foreign missions sponsored by the National Council of Churches.

The speaker of the day, Mrs. M. M. Dozier of Pasadena, reviewed the history and growth of the World Day of Prayer movement, the aim of which, essentially, is "to bring the world and its peoples closer together," the speaker said.

## RELIGIOUS SCIENCE SERMON SUBJECT IS ANNOUNCED

"You Have Unlimited Resources," will be the subject of the Sunday, March 14 sermon to be given by Dr. Ethel Barnhart at the Santa Anita Church of Religious Science, 778 South Rosemead Blvd., Pasadena.

## LEGAL NOTICE

No. 81919  
NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY AT PUBLIC AUCTION  
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Office of the Tax Collector of the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles pursuant to the provisions of Division 1, Part 6, Chapter 7 of the Revenue and Taxation Code of the State of California, adopted a resolution approving the sale of property hereinafter described; and

WHEREAS, there is filed in my office written authorization for said sale under the hand and seal of the State Controller, to sell said property;

THEREFORE, public notice is hereby given that unless the said property is redeemed or an installment plan of redemption is initiated as provided by law, I, H. L. Byram, Tax Collector of the County of Los Angeles, will, commencing March 29, 1954, at the hour of ten o'clock A.M., and continuing from day to day in the office of the County Tax Collector, Third Floor, Hall of Justice, in the City of Los Angeles, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the following described real property:

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For information as to the amounts necessary to redeem or initiate an installment plan of redemption, provided the right to redeem has not previously been terminated, apply to H. L. Byram, County Tax Collector, Third Floor, Hall of Justice, Los Angeles, 12, California.

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Dated this 4th day of March, 1954.

H. L. BYRAM,  
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Publish: March 4-11-18, 1954.

## Sermonettes

THE SERMON ON THE MOUNT  
Rev. Robert M. Schaper

The Sermon on the Mount is unquestionably the supreme ethic of the world's history. Jesus gives to man the divine standards of the Kingdom of God. Yet how easy it is to misunderstand the import of this message by misapplying it. Though the multitudes heard the sermon, Matthew clearly states that "he opened his mouth and taught them (His disciples)." Jesus is not here telling men how to get into the kingdom of God, but He is describing how the citizens of His kingdom should act, what their offices are, and what their motives should be.

This is shown in the very statement of the Beatitudes. They are not commands or injunctions, but a description of the blessedness, or happiness of His disciples who order their lives by His teaching. "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven." Lowliness is always the starting point for holiness. "God resisteth the proud, but giveth grace to the humble." To the one who recognizes his own inadequacy, his own ignorance, his own absolute dependence on the grace of God, who thus "becomes as a little child," the glories and beauties of God's kingdom of grace are the immediate reward.

The very simplicity of the Gospel, its demand of child-like faith and trusting obedience, these have been stumbling-blocks for many a person who felt that the kingdom of heaven was for the sophisticated, the intelligent, the cultured. Jesus said, "Blessed are the poor in spirit." His Cross is the best place to become aware of your own spiritual poverty and to make that Cross God's great plus-sign to add to you the righteousness which you desire. It is at the Cross that we get the power to live the ethic of the Sermon on the Mount.

The second portion of the Rev. Donald H. Ostrander's inspiring pre-Lenten sermon delivered at Trinity Presbyterian church, is printed below. The subject: "Looking to Lent"—the text, Isaiah 61:3.

## PART II

Lent reminds us of PLUS factor in our lives—Jesus Christ—beside which the MINUS factors become relatively insignificant. And so—in "Looking to Lent"—we must look at the Christ—the focus of our faith. In the coming weeks, therefore, looking to Easter as we seek to add Christ to our hearts and so to our lives, let us be mindful of certain prerequisites necessary for the fullest apprehension of the values of this Holy season.

In the first instance, we should be mindful of our responsibility to SHARE. Even as the world experiences the miracle of renewing each spring so can the human heart. "Waiting upon the Lord" is an expression that calls us to place ourselves in a position where God can help us, and use us. We become feverish and excited. Worry and anxiety prey upon us. But in a sharing with others we are summoned to see things—"sub specie aeternitatis"—under the aspect of eternity. "One Great Time of Sharing" to help with the needs of those who throughout the world are still torn by the ravages and the aftermath of war, should gain us this perspective of a concern which SHARES.

And not only must we be concerned for PRAYER. A Los Angeles music critic in reporting Marian Anderson's great concert on the 13th of February, noted that despite the downpour there were few vacant seats. He spoke of the remarkable

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## Book Review Tomorrow for Church WSCS

Mrs. Fern Niedringhaus will review the book, "That All May Be One," at tomorrow's meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Church of Our Redeemer, Methodist. The general meeting from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. will be preceded by an executive board meeting at 9:30 for all officers and committee chairmen.

Mrs. Murray Harris, president, will preside. Mrs. Ernest Phillips will introduce the program speaker. Recessing at noon, those attending will eat the sack sandwiches they provided themselves, together with dessert and coffee provided by the committee, which will include Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Earl Gossard and Mrs. Niedringhaus. The meeting is open to all.

The Rev. Raynor Smith's sermon theme for March 14, the second Sunday in Lent, will be "To Seek and to Save." Special music for the 11 o'clock morning worship service will be provided by the choir.

At the mid-week fellowship meeting at 7:30 tonight the pastor will begin a series of Lenten studies. The topic for this week will be "Why the Cross—For Jesus?" All interested persons are invited by the pastor to attend.

## 'Religion Demonstrable Prayer,' Lecture Subject

"Christian Science: A Religion of Demonstrable Prayer" will be the subject of a lecture to be radiocast over Station KFVB (820 kc.), Tuesday evening, March 16, at 8 o'clock from Thirty-second Church of Christ, Scientist, Los Angeles. The lecturer, Helen Appleton, C.S., of Boston, Mass., is a member of the Christian Science Board of Lectureship.

range of her selections, but referred especially to her moving rendition of the Negro Spiritual, "He has the whole world in the hollow of His hand." Miss Anderson could make this vital, vibrant interpretation she personally feels that she is held in the hollow of His hand. And every one of us—every man and woman, every child, even the tiniest babe—we ALL are held fast in that divine grasp!

As a preparation for effective prayer, try this experiment for Lent. Take time to hear again some of the great music of the ages, and reread or sing some of the treasures of the hymnal, truly a devotional source that many of us may have neglected.

## LEGAL NOTICE

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
No. Pasa. P-12984

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, In the Matter of the Estate of SIMON R. LINDBERG, deceased.

Notice is hereby given to creditors having claims against the said decedent to file said claims in the office of the clerk of the aforesaid court or to present them to the undersigned at the office of John C. Mead, attorney, 480 North Baldwin, in the City of Sierra Madre, in the aforesaid County, which latter office is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to said estate. Such claims with the necessary vouchers must be filed or presented as aforesaid within six months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated February 24, 1954.  
ARVID N. LINDBERG  
Administrator of the estate of said decedent.

JOHN C. MEAD,  
Attorney-at-Law,  
480 N. Baldwin, P.O. Box 241,  
Sierra Madre, California.  
Publish March 4, 11, 18, 25, 1954

## Friends' Minister to Report On Korea at Congr. Church

"A Report From Korea," by the Rev. Elmer Brown, minister of the Friends Church of Pasadena, will highlight the all-church dinner to be given by the Woman's Fellowship at the Sierra Madre Congregational church at 6:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 23.

The Rev. Brown will illustrate his talk with pictures of a recent trip made for the American Friends Committee to see the rehabilitation work being carried on by the Friends in Korea.

Eight hundred pounds of clothing have been sent to Korea by the local church. Major Clay Reavis, stationed in the Air Force at Hunsan, has distributed the clothing to war orphans in his charge. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Reavis of Sierra Madre. Major Reavis has direct contact with the American Friends, and Hunsan is one of the places visited by the Rev. Mr. Brown.

All are welcome to attend the dinner, according to Mrs. Vern Eppard, chairman, and reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Olive O'Byrne, Custer 5-9170, or the church office, Custer 5-9992.

## Purim Masque Ball Is Planned by Women of Foothill Jewish Center

The Women's division of the Foothill Jewish Community Center is advancing plans for a Purim Masque Ball to be held Saturday, March 20, at the Center, 212 N. Lima.

The ball will be a highlight of the joyous Purim Festival which commemorates the deliverance of the Persian Jews from massacre.

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## Christian Scientists Study Lesson-Sermon on Topic, 'Substance'

The perfection, abundance and substantiality of all that God has made is discussed in the lesson-sermon on "Substance" to be read in all Christian Science churches Sunday. The golden text is from Psalms (153:13): "Thy name, O Lord, endureth for ever; and thy memorial, I Lord, throughout all generations."

A Bible selection from Acts (8:9,10,12,13) records that Simon, the sorcerer, "bewitched the people of Samaria," who said, "This man is the great power of God..." but when they believed Philip preaching the things concerning the kingdom of God, and the name of Jesus Christ, they were baptized, both men and women. Then Simon himself believed also.

Mary Baker Eddy says in "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures": "The Christian Scientist, understanding scientifically that all is Mind, commences with mental causation, the truth of being, to destroy the error." "Any at-

tempt to heal mortals with erring mortal mind, instead of resting on the omnipotence of the divine Mind, must prove abortive." (pp. 423, 459).

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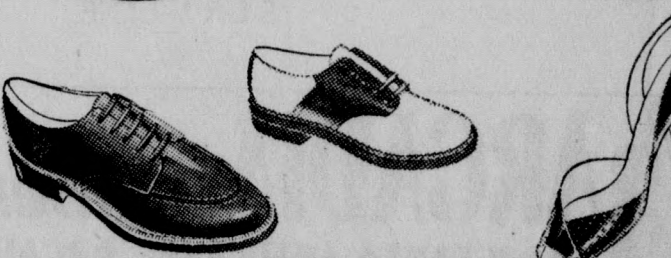
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## Arcadia YWCA Center Announces Spring Term Classes Starting 16th

Arcadia YWCA Center announces the opening of its spring term classes in the Village Presbyterian church building, Tenth and Longden, Arcadia.

Of special interest to homemakers will be a course in "Home Growing," featuring sessions on barbecuing, flower arrangement, upholstery, room decoration, budgeting and buying.

Other new courses to be offered: "The Art of Presiding and Your Speaking Personality," to be taught by Mrs. Edrie Chatterly, president of the Pasadena unit of National Parliamentarians.

Methods of helping children create, act and produce their own plays will be presented in the class on "Creative Dramatic Techniques." A class de-

## YWCA Fashion Show Is Set for Tomorrow in Village Church, Arcadia

More than 30 new spring styles will be featured at the YWCA Fashion Show tomorrow at 10 a.m., Village Presbyterian church, 10th and Longden, Arcadia.

Coffee will be served before the show begins, and all women in the Arcadia-Monrovia-Duarte area are cordially invited to come and get acquainted with the YWCA program in their neighborhood. Children may be left in the playroom free of charge during the show.

signed for teenagers on clothes, dating, etc., will be presented after school. These classes, along with sewing and keep-fit gym, will round out the program.

Registration for classes will be held on the first day of classes Tuesday, March 16. Child care is provided in the playroom at a nominal fee.

## Dr. Lasell to Be Speaker at Open Meeting

'Emotional Behaviour In Young Children' Topic for March 16

All parents of young children in the community are cordially invited to hear Dr. Sidney Lasell discuss "Emotional Behaviour in Young Children." The meeting is sponsored by the adult education division of Pasadena City college and will be held at the Sierra Madre Community Nursery school, 701 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., Tuesday, March 16, at 8 p.m.

Dr. Lasell, a pediatrician, is a specialist in the field of children's emotions. He also has a sympathetic understanding of the feelings experienced by parents themselves. He will answer questions from the audience and discuss specific situations.

## Plans Go Forward for Pasadena Flower and Garden Show in April

Amateur flower enthusiasts and professional growers of the Pasadena area were urged today to join in making the Pasadena Flower and Garden Show April 3-11 at the Fannie E. Morrison Horticultural Center, Brookside park, the largest in the 49-year history of the floral extravaganza.

G. Wyman Hope, manager of the event for the sponsoring Pasadena Flower Show association, said that entries will close March 28 as he invited local residents to participate in the exposition.

He pointed out that the Pasadena flower show, fifth largest in the country and oldest in the Southland, annually is one of Pasadena's two outstanding civic events and has made a major contribution to the cultural progress of the city.

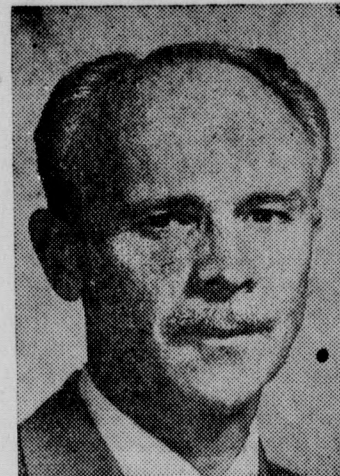
Entry blanks and information can be obtained from the Pasadena Flower Show association, P.O. Box 948-M, Pasadena 20.

## Osti's Landscape Nursery to Celebrate Fifth Anniversary

A combination of hard work and the enthusiastic patronage of garden-loving Sierra Madreans has created a thriving landscape nursery business which brings a proud grin to the face of Bob Osti. He started the business five years ago with a retail stock valued at less than \$1000.

Now, as Osti's Landscape Nursery, 320 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., prepares to celebrate its fifth anniversary next weekend an inventory valued at from ten to fifteen thousand dollars testifies to the growth in that brief span of time.

Two years ago Bob took a partner into the business, his brother-in-law, Norman E. Brooks, a graduate botanist and horticulturist. There are other evidences of the business' growth, its present 135-foot frontage compared to the original 50 feet, and a new glasshouse added in the winter of 1952. Housed in the 500-square-



... at Osti's

Joe Littlefield, one of the Southland's foremost garden authorities and consultants, will be on hand at Osti's Nursery, 320 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., from 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday, March 13, to discuss with visitors their garden problems and to answer their questions.

The occasion will be the fifth anniversary of Osti's Landscape Nursery.

Littlefield has commented that "after 25 years of dirt-under-the-fingernails gardening experience" he has concluded that there are "no deep, dark secrets to good gardening, that it's all a matter of simple, regular, follow-through on a few important fundamentals."

A program concerning work with and for the physically handicapped is being planned for the next meeting of the club the afternoon of April 5 in the parkhouse.

Members of Mapha club will meet in the home of Mrs. John Senour, 3685 Cartwright, Monday, March 15, at 8 p.m. Mrs. James Speer will be co-hostess for the evening.

The business meeting will be conducted by Mrs. W. B. Nehls, president.

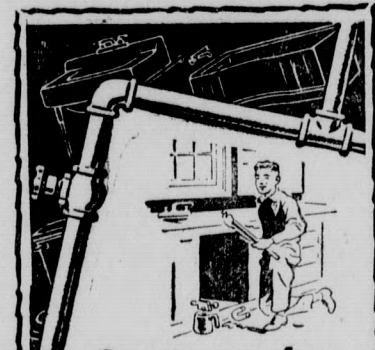
## Public Invited To March 18th P-TA Meeting

The Sierra Madre Parent-Teacher association is inviting the general public to attend its business and program meeting at 8 p.m. Thursday, March 18, in the school auditorium.

The program will be presented by Supt. of Schools and Mrs. Charles A. Skutt who will show a new collection of color slides, not previously shown in their guest appearances, and will talk on their two-month trip around the world last fall.

Music will be provided by the P-TA Barbershop Quartet, recalled by popular demand. Hostesses for the evening will be teachers and parents of first grade children.

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## Beverly Stunden Sings In Occidental Glee Club

Miss Beverly Stunden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Flint E. Stunden, 419 W. Grand View, sings second alto in the combined Glee clubs of Occidental college and will participate when the annual Home Concert is presented today, tomorrow and Saturday, March 18-20, in Thorne hall on the campus. The concerts are scheduled for 8:15 each evening.

The concert theme will be, "A Day in Manhattan." Miss Stunden is a junior at Occidental and is majoring in education.

## LEGAL NOTICE

P.O. 8495  
RESOLUTION NO. 1280

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SIERRA MADRE, CALIFORNIA, ESTABLISHING A PENSION PLAN TO PROVIDE RETIREMENT BENEFITS FOR CITY EMPLOYEES AND ORDERING, CALLING, PROVIDING FOR AND GIVING NOTICE OF A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY OF SIERRA MADRE ON THE 13TH DAY OF APRIL, 1954, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF SAID CITY A MEASURE OR PROPOSITION TO PERMIT THE LEVY OF A SPECIAL TAX TO PROVIDE REVENUES TO ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN SUCH PENSION PLAN.

SECTION 1. That the public interest and necessity demand the establishment and maintenance by the City of Sierra Madre of a suitable pension plan to provide retirement benefits for city employees in order to effect economy and efficiency in the public service and to provide a means by which employees who become superannuated or otherwise incapacitated may, without hardship or prejudice, be replaced by more capable employees.

SECTION 2. That there shall be and is hereby established the "Employees Pension Plan" which shall be on a sound actuarial basis and shall provide for contributions by both the City and the employee members of the plan which shall be based on percentages of pay roll to be changed only by adjustments on account of experience under the plan. The amount of such contributions shall be determined from time to time by resolution of the City Council. Benefits based on service rendered prior to membership in the plan shall be met by additional contributions of the City. Such pension liability may be funded over a fixed period of years.

SECTION 3. That the necessary revenues required for the establishment and operation of such pension plan require an expenditure greater than the amount allowed for it by the annual tax levy.

SECTION 4. That the establishment and maintenance of said pension plan is necessary and convenient to carry out the objects, purposes and powers of the City of Sierra Madre.

SECTION 5. That a special election be held and the same is hereby called to be held, in the City of Sierra Madre, California, on the 13th day of April, 1954, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of said City a measure or proposition providing for the levy and collection of a Special Tax not exceeding \$20 during each fiscal year commencing July 1, 1954, for the purpose of providing sufficient revenues to establish and maintain said pension plan as hereinabove described and hereinafter stated.

SECTION 6. That the estimated cost of the pension plan described herein each year is not more than the sum of Sixteen Thousand Dollars (\$16,000.00).

SECTION 7. That the polls for said election shall be opened at 7:00 o'clock A.M., of the day of said election and shall remain open continuously from said time until 7:00 o'clock P.M., of the same day, when said polls shall be closed, except as provided in Section 5734 of the Elections Code of the State of California.

That on the ballots to be used at said special election, in addition to any other matters required by law, there shall be printed substantially the following:

MARK CROSSES (+) ON BALLOT ONLY WITH RUBBER STAMP; NEVER WITH PEN OR PENCIL.

(ABSENTEE BALLOTS MAY BE MARKED WITH PEN AND INK OR PENCIL.)

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS  
To vote on any measure, stamp a cross (+) in the voting square after the word "YES" or after the word "NO." All distinguishing marks or erasures are forbidden and make the ballot void. If you wrongly stamp, tear

or deface this ballot, return it to the inspector of election and obtain another.  
On absent voter's ballots mark a cross (+) with pen or pencil.

PROPOSITION 1:  
Shall a Special Tax:  
not to exceed \$20 dur-  
ing each fiscal year,  
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be levied and col-  
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upon each One Hun-  
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who become super-  
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may, without hard-  
ship or prejudice, be  
replaced by more  
capable employees?

SECTION 8. A cross (+) placed in the voting square after the word "YES" in the manner hereinbefore provided shall be counted in favor of the adoption of a proposition. A cross (+) placed in the voting square after the word "NO" in the manner hereinbefore provided shall be counted against the adoption of a proposition.

SECTION 9. That the special election hereby called shall be and is hereby ordered consolidated with the general municipal election to be held in said City on Tuesday, April 13, 1954, and such elections shall be held in all respects as if there were only one election, and only one form of ballot shall be used thereat. The precincts, polling places and officers of election for this special election shall be the same as those provided for said general municipal election, and said precincts, polling places and officers of election are set forth in the resolution providing for said general municipal election, to wit, Resolution No. 1278, adopted February 23, 1954.

SECTION 10. That except as otherwise provided in this ordinance, the election called hereby shall be conducted as provided by law for other municipal elections in said City.

SECTION 11. That the City Council of said City shall meet at its usual place of meeting in the City Hall on Tuesday, the 20th day of April, 1954, at 8:00 o'clock P.M., of said day, and proceed to canvass the election returns and declare the result of said election.

SECTION 12. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution by a vote of more than two-thirds of all of the members of the City Council of said City and shall cause said resolution to be published once a week for two (2) weeks in the Sierra Madre News, a weekly newspaper of general circulation in said City. No other notice of said election need be given.

ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED this 27th day of February, 1954.

HENRY F. KORSMEIER,  
Mayor of the City of Sierra Madre

ATTEST:  
L. MARIE WARFEL,  
City Clerk of the City of Sierra Madre.  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES  
CITY OF SIERRA MADRE  
ss.

I, L. MARIE WARFEL, City Clerk of the City of Sierra Madre, California, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at an adjourned regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Sierra Madre, held on the 27th day of February, 1954, by the affirmative vote of at least three Councilmen, to wit:

AYES: Councilmen Louk, Roberts, Hawkins, James and Korsmeier.  
NOES: None.  
ABSENT: None.

L. MARIE WARFEL,  
City Clerk of the City of Sierra Madre, California  
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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth E. Carlson, 277 Ramona, are the parents of a son, Joseph Ingmar, born Mar. 5. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. Ingmar Oleson, 382 Marioposa. The Carlsons have three other children, Louise 11, Julie 7, and Christopher 4.

A second daughter, Karen, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Helmut Vorster, 633 West Orange Grove, Feb. 18, in Huntington Memorial hospital. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Penberthy of Arcadia. The paternal grandparents are the late Dr. Walter Vorster and Mrs. Vorster of Freiberg, Germany. The other Vorster children are Joanne 8, and Christopher 4.

## Scanning the Sports Scene

With BOB BROGGER

Look Out! Here comes a shock!

Bob Hopkins, one of the greatest hook-shot artists in the nation, and one of the top scoring forwards in the country, wasn't even named for honorable mention in the UP All-American team, or honorable mention on the All-coast team. In our opinion, he belongs on the second team, if not the first.

Hopkins has an average of 26 points a game, but still they refuse to recognize it. The same thing happened to Bevo Francis, who has a fantastic average of over 50 points a game. Bevo was lucky enough to make the second team on the UP All-American team.

Now the big question comes up: Why didn't Hopkins receive any recognition? Because they say their competition is not tough enough. Now just who do they call Kirby's Shoes, or Peppere, or L.A. State, Fresno State, Whittier, and they also played the greatest Cal Tech team in history twice, and whipped them each time.

The San Diego State game was one of the most exciting contests this reporter has ever attended. But that game was over two weeks ago, and you all know what happened. You all know they had a record of over 3000. It was a playoff game, and they won 90-87. And at the time of this writing, they were in Kansas City. But back to the San Diego State game. The closest prediction that I have heard in all my life was that of Paul Kevorkian, a very strong Crusader fan. He yelled to the crowd that was waiting in line before the game, that the score would be 91-88 in favor of the Crusaders—just two points off.

During the game, the Crusaders looked sharp. They scored 53% of their shots. Here are the individual scoring percentages: Hopkins made 33 points. Made 62% of shots; Leech scored 20 points. Hit for 53% of shots; Leech scored 20 baskets. Hit 78% of them; Cozzens scored 6 points. Made 33% of his baskets; Cummins hit for 5 points. Scored 50% of shots.

We didn't all come over on the same ship, but we're all in the same boat.

## Rose Parade Theme Contest Closes on 15th

First returns in the Tournament of Roses association contest to find a theme for the 66th annual New Year's Day Rose Parade indicate that public sentiment is very much in favor of Bible stories, with forms of transportation a close second, President Elmer Wilson revealed today.

Other suggestions arriving at Tournament headquarters in each mail include "Famous Achievements," "The Fine Arts," "Hobbies in Flowers," "Poetry in Posies," "Sports in Flowers," "Dance Fantasies," "Wonderland in Pantomime," "Days of Yore" and "Famous Last Words."

To the person whose theme suggestion is chosen for use in the 1955 parade will go two choice Rose Bowl seats, two seats for the parade and invitations to the distinguished guests luncheon on New Year's Day. The prize-winner will be entertained "as a king" by the tournament association, Mr. Wilson promised.

Theme suggestions may be mailed to "Theme Contest," Tournament of Roses, Pasadena, up until March 15, to be considered by the contest judges.

In suggesting a parade theme, it is well to consider a broad subject which will enable float builders to interpret it in 60 different ways, Mr. Wilson said.

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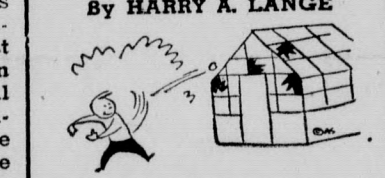
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**16-YEAR-OLD BOY** wants work as stock boy or janitor after 12 weekdays or Saturdays. Peter Garcia. CU. 5-0132. A:3-8

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**CHARMING**—furn. home—excellent locality. Suitable 1 or 2 adults. May be seen Friday eve. thru Sunday. CU. 5-0543. 113 S. Hermosa. D:3-4,11

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**NEWLY decorated** 1 bdrm. duplex. 82 W. Laurel. CU. 5-8833 or SY. 6-7791. D:2-25—3-11

**FOR RENT**—furn. house, three rooms & bath, garage. 1/2 block from City Hall. Inquire 76 W. Bonita Ave. D:2-25—3-11

**UNFURNISHED**—1 bdrm. apt. 93 W. Mira Monte. \$45, including lights & water. CU. 5-9694. D:2-25—3-11

**REAR HOUSE** for rent—2 rooms & bath. 163 N. Grove. Custer 5-0237. D:3-4,18

**FURN. 5 RM. MOD. HOUSE**—also 3 rm. furn. apt. Healthy location. Rent very reas. Children accepted. 533 Sturtevant Drive. CU. 5-0067. D:3-11

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**GUEST HOUSE**—furn. Util. pd. Tile shower-tub. Emp. couple or man. CU. 5-9179. D:3-11

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**FURNITURE FRI. SAT. MARCH** 11-12-264 or S.M. Blvd., Sierra Madre — Bedavenport; oak sleigh dble. bed, heavy duty spgs., Beauty Rest mattress; Lawson dble. overhighter, coil inner spgs.; upholstery, rocking chairs, birch dressing table, set, kitchen table, cocktail table, lamp shades, 18x42 2-drawer walnut chest; Underwood std. No. 5 typewriter; many other articles. E:3-11

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### ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES



### RAEBURN TO TALK AT DEMO MEETING HERE ON MONDAY

Daniel Raeburn, Democratic nominee for secretary of state of California, will be the speaker at the meeting of the Sierra Madre Democratic club in the City hall Monday night at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be at the City hall because it is expected that persons from several neighboring communities will attend.

Mr. Raeburn is the publisher of three newspapers in the Santa Monica area. He is a graduate of UCLA and took postgraduate work in public administration at the University of California at Berkeley. He is 35 years old.

### 'JOHNNY THE GIANT KILLER' COMING TO S.M. THEATRE

The special show at the Sierra Madre theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday will be a full length cartoon entitled, "Johnny the Giant Killer," plus Randolph Scott in "Thunder Over the Plains."

### ROBERTSON TELLS KIWANIS ABOUT WARFARE DEVICES

Kiwanis Club members Tuesday heard a first-hand account of the World War II aerial blitz of England by Dr. Howard P. Robertson of Sierra Madre who had been sent to England to advise American armed forces on types of bombs to use on specific targets.

Now a member of the Caltech faculty, Dr. Robertson then was on the faculty of Princeton University. In 1940, while at Princeton, he was engaged by the U. S. Army to study the efforts of bombing on building structures. He was sent to England in 1942. During 1943 he studied the British devices which were to be used for the invasion of France.

In the latter part of the German aerial blitz, he said, instruments were perfected which confused the German pilots. As a result, bombs intended for industrial centers were dropped in open countryside, thus increasing the danger of those who had fled the cities.

Dr. Robertson is now engaged at Caltech in research for the Joint Chiefs of Staff in Washington.

### Funeral Today For Pomona's Oldest Mason

Lutheran funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon at Todd and Reeves mortuary chapel, Pomona, for Chris Sather, father of Mrs. Carl Rees, 621 E. Sierra Madre Blvd.

Mr. Sather, who died Monday at the age of 90 after a month's illness, was the third oldest living Masonic lodge member in the State of California and the oldest member of Pomona lodge No. 246. Masonic rites will be held for him today at Pomona cemetery.

The deceased leaves six sons and daughter, 17 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

### ROBERTS TO JOIN L. A. BAY FISHING PARTY

Harold F. Roberts, local businessman and civic leader, was to leave today with his son-in-law, L. C. Musselman of Altadena, and a party of other men, for a week's fishing and vacation at Los Angeles Bay.

Roberts, an appointed member of the City Council, is a candidate for election to that post in the coming municipal election April 13.

### FIRST AID COURSE TO START

An instructor, Saxe Montgomery of Pasadena, has been procured for a Sierra Madre First Aid course, Red Cross headquarters announced today.

Places in the class are still open and persons interested may be assigned to it by calling Red Cross chapter headquarters, Custer 5-0745.

The 18-hour course in standard First Aid will begin next Wednesday, March 17, and will meet then and on subsequent Wednesdays from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. in the City school cafeteria.

First Aid certificate holders are reminded that certificates must be renewed every three years. First Aid instruction is useful in meeting every-day emergencies as well as in disasters, and gives the individual confidence in knowing what to do—and what NOT to do in helping the injured.

### COUNTY FORESTRY STARTS CONIFER PLANTING PROGRAM

The Forestry division of the Los Angeles County Fire department instituted a long-range watershed rehabilitation program last week when a crew started planting 3000 12-in. high Knob Cone and Coulter pine trees on selected slopes north of Sierra Madre.

The crew, composed of boys from juvenile camps, is supervised by Ezra Miller, deputy forester, working under Van Wagner, assistant forester, and Keith Hinger, chief engineer. The planting program, it is indicated, is an experimental

measure taken with the prospect of providing effective protection in years to come through the heavier root systems and abundant top cover of the conifers.

The crew reports that the mixed mustard and rye planted immediately after the fire are showing good growth except on the steep canyon slopes. The seed wasn't all washed away in the three recent rains!

Model husbands often turn out to be non-working models.

### SPEECHES—from page 1

Charles E. Morrison, George P. Keyes, Mrs. Lucile S. Eaton, Mrs. Martha W. Coutant, Mrs. Lillian Roess and Mrs. Helen S. Hawkins.

Neil K. Yarnell, 10 N. Mountain Trail, engineer; petition circulated by Mrs. Elizabeth R. Carver and signed by Harry A. Lange, Mrs. Grace R. Vane, Carl E. Hansen, Mrs. Evelyn R. Woodworth, Mrs. Laura S. Morgan, Mrs. Juanita de Clercq, Jack L. de Clercq and Robert M. Leonard.

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